

Add McGraw-Hill SIMnet (LTI 1.3) to Your D2L Course

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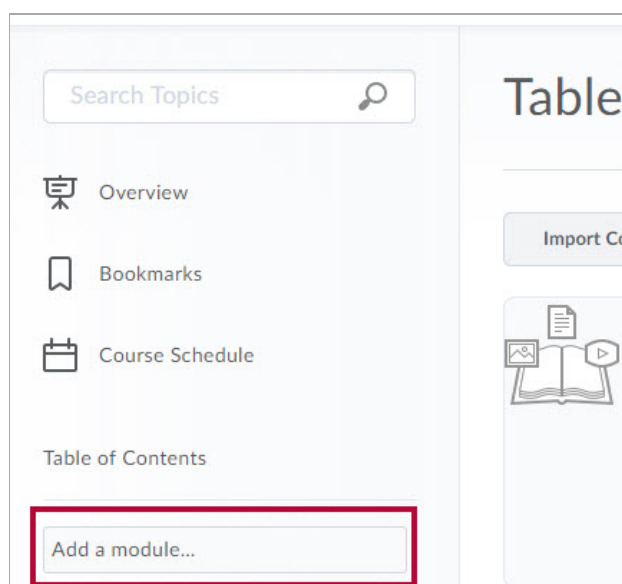
NOTE:

- LSC-Online does not have access to your McGraw-Hill account. For integration issues, please contact your **McGraw-Hill representative**.
- To obtain contact information for your campus-specific **McGraw-Hill Customer Success Representative**, please contact your **Department Chair** or **Dean**.
- For more in-depth information about SIMnet **deep-link integration**, navigate to the [SIMnet Help Webpage](https://help.simnetonline.com/manager/integrations/lti-advantage-v1.3/course-integration-home) (<https://help.simnetonline.com/manager/integrations/lti-advantage-v1.3/course-integration-home>).

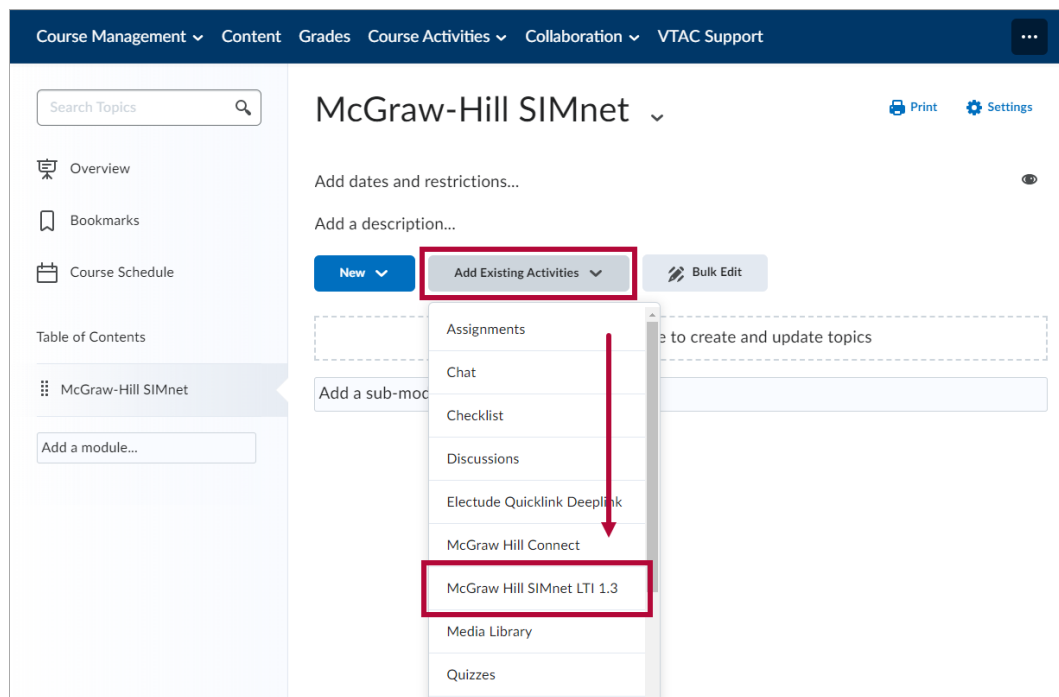
SIMnet is a digital platform that teaches and assesses skills in Microsoft Office Access, Excel, PowerPoint, and Word. It also covers file management and operating systems, thereby enabling student career readiness and employability.

Adding McGraw-Hill SIMnet Content to Your D2L Course

1. Open your course in D2L.
2. Go to **Content** and select the module where you want to insert the **McGraw-Hill SIMnet** integration. For example, add a module and give it a name (e.g., "McGraw-Hill SIMnet").



3. In your module, click the **[Add Existing Activities]** dropdown, and select **[McGraw Hill SIMnet LTI 1.3]**.

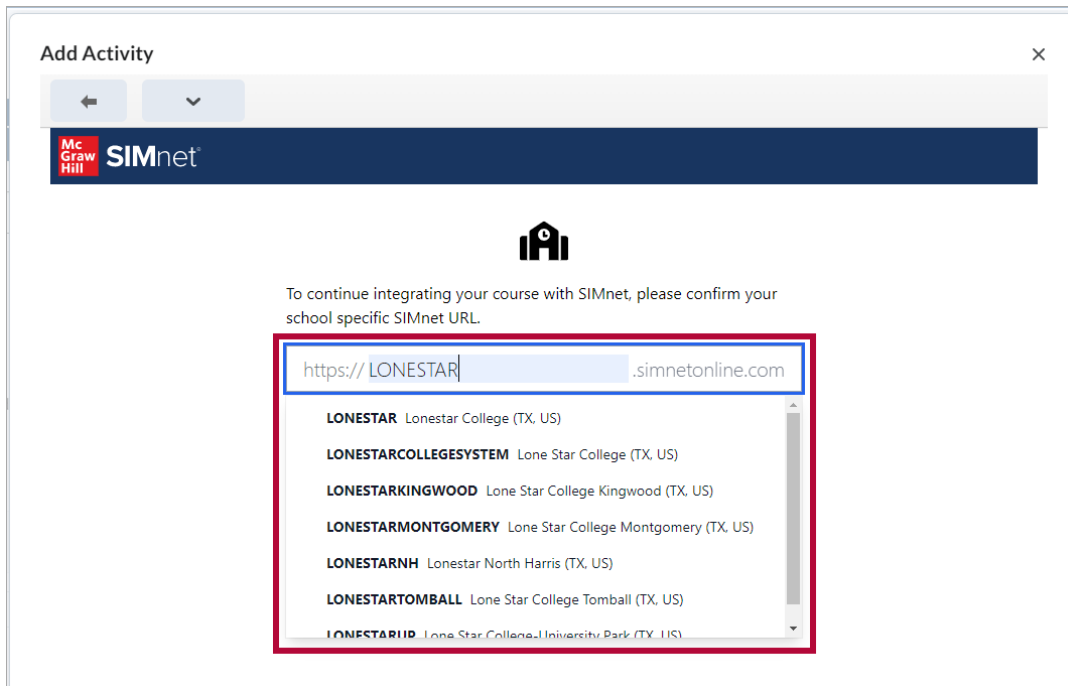


4. Next, you will be prompted to input your school-specific **SIMnet URL**.

The screenshot shows a dialog box titled 'Add Activity'. It features the McGraw-Hill SIMnet logo at the top. Below the logo, there's a prompt: 'To continue integrating your course with SIMnet, please confirm your school specific SIMnet URL.' A text input field is provided with the placeholder 'https://' and '.simnetonline.com'. A 'Continue' button is located at the bottom of the dialog box.

5. Input **LONESTAR** to show a list of Lone Star College campuses. Then, select your campus from the list.

NOTE: Failing to select the proper campus of your course **may cause issues with the pairing of SIMnet.**



Add Activity [X]

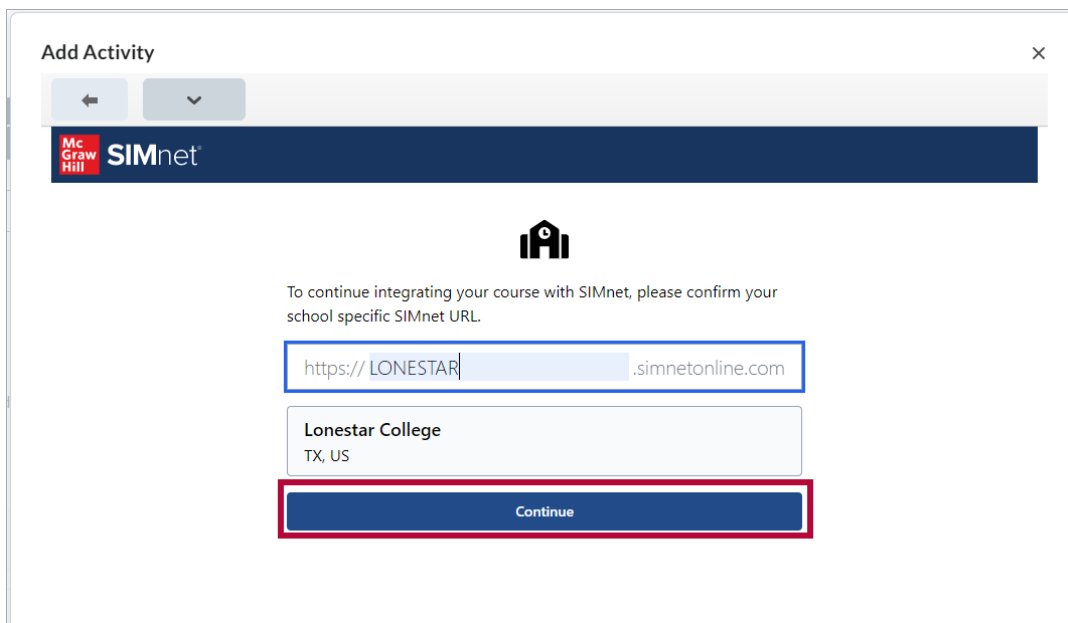
Mc Graw Hill **SIMnet**

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https:// LONESTAR .simnetonline.com

- LONESTAR** Lonestar College (TX, US)
- LONESTARCOLLEGESYSTEM** Lone Star College (TX, US)
- LONESTARKINGWOOD** Lone Star College Kingwood (TX, US)
- LONESTARMONTGOMERY** Lone Star College Montgomery (TX, US)
- LONESTARNH** Lonestar North Harris (TX, US)
- LONESTARTOMBALL** Lone Star College Tomball (TX, US)
- LONESTARUIC** Lone Star College University Park (TX, US)

6. Click **[Continue]** once you have selected your home campus.



Add Activity [X]

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https:// LONESTAR .simnetonline.com

Lonestar College
TX, US

Continue

7. Enter the following information:

- Course** - Chose a name for your course. By default, the name will copy the name of your D2L section.
- Section** - The Section field is non-mandatory for SIMnet course creation. This field gives additional space to add to the Course name from 7A.
- Campus** - There is only a selection of **Default**.
- Optional: Use Existing Course as a Template** - If you wish, choose another course from your campus to copy from. This is an optional choice.

Add Activity

Create a SIMnet course to pair with Desire2Learn

Desire2Learn provided some information we can use to create a **new** course, and we have filled in the appropriate fields below.

COURSE

A

SECTION

B

CAMPUS

C

OPTIONAL: USE EXISTING COURSE AS TEMPLATE?

If you would like to copy the content from an existing course, choose one from the list below.

D

Create Course

8. Then click **[Create Course]** at the bottom.

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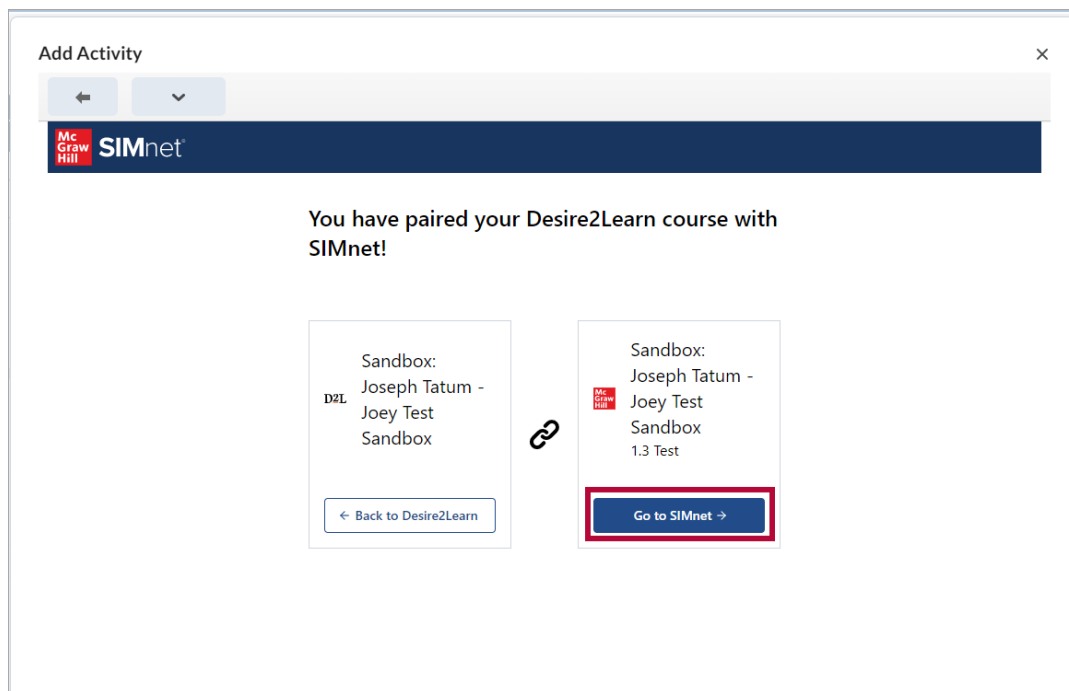
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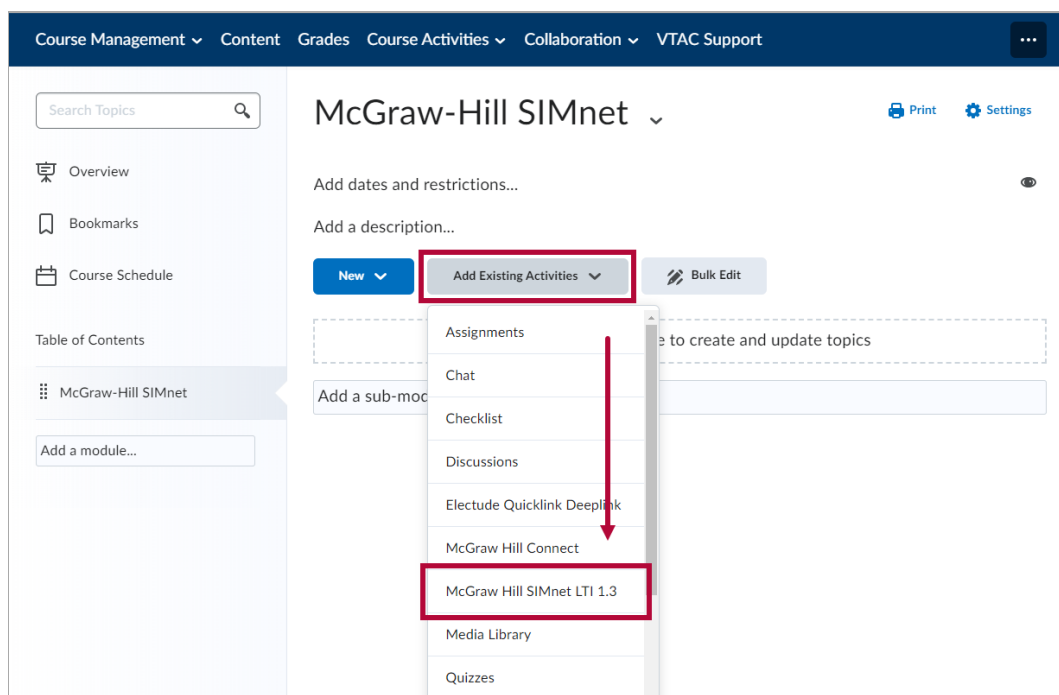
Create Course

9. You have now successfully paired your course with SIMnet. You may click **[Go to SIMnet]** to move on to view your course within SIMnet.

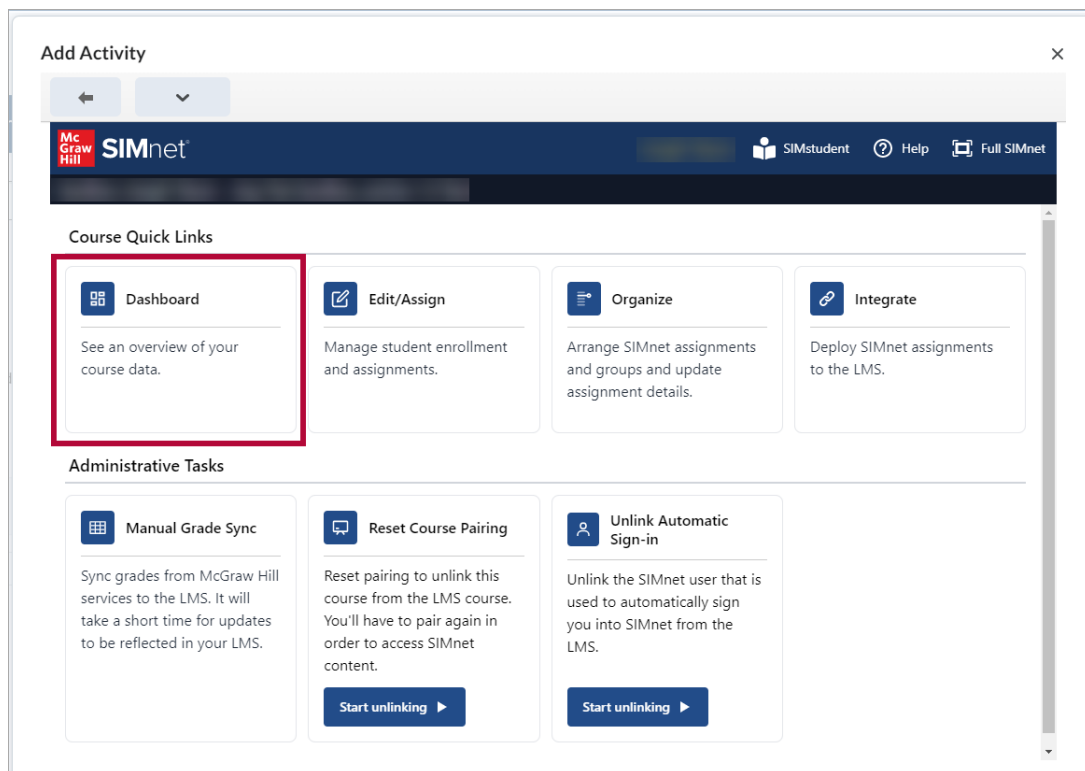


Accessing your SIMnet Dashboard

1. In your module, click **[Add Existing Activities]**, and select **[McGraw Hill SIMnet LTI 1.3]**.



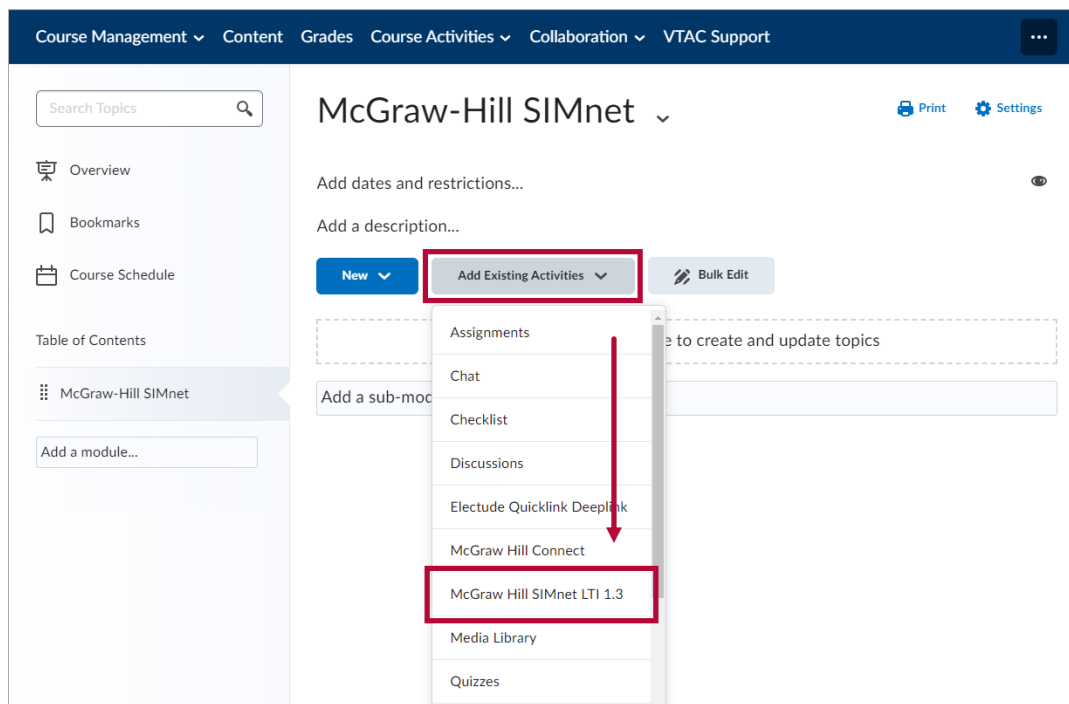
2. Select **[Dashboard]**.



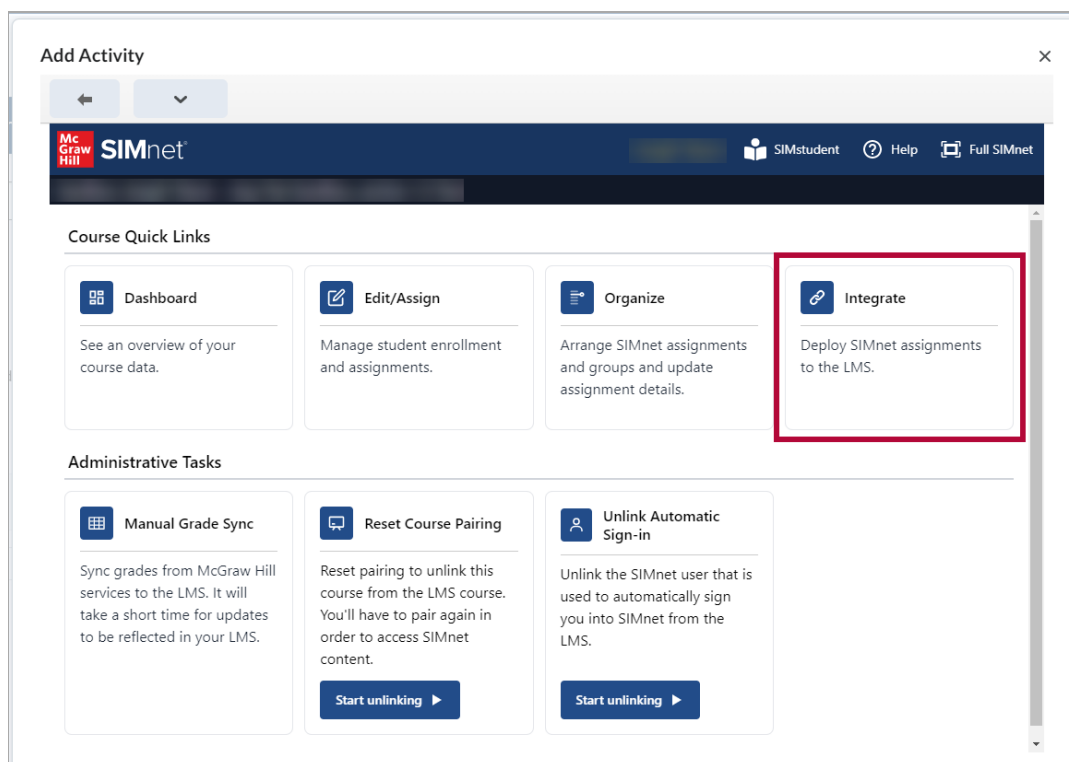
NOTE: There is not a '**D2L SIMnet module link**' to the SIMnet Dashboard like you may be accustomed to from the previous version of SIMnet, so you will have to use this method to access the SIMnet Dashboard. For more information, see McGraw-Hill's [own instructions](https://help.simnetonline.com/manager/integrations/lti-advantage-v1.3/instructor-lms-launch-point) (<https://help.simnetonline.com/manager/integrations/lti-advantage-v1.3/instructor-lms-launch-point>).

Adding a Direct Link to a SIMnet Assignment to your D2L Content Module

1. In your module, click **[Add Existing Activities]**, and select **[McGraw Hill SIMnet LTI 1.3]**.



2. Select **[Integrate]**.



3. Find the item you wish to add and click the check box to the left of the chosen assignment.

Add Activity

SIMnet Joseph Tatum SIMstudent Help Full SIMnet

Sandbox: Joseph Tatum - Joey Testbox 2

← Course Integration

To link a SIMnet assignment to Desire2Learn, check the corresponding checkbox below. To remove a SIMnet assignment from Desire2Learn, uncheck the assignment checkbox. When you have finished selecting which assignments should be linked or unlinked, click Confirm Changes to review the changes prior to deploying to Desire2Learn.

Reset changes Refresh Toggle by assignment type Confirm changes

Assignment name	Paired?	Start	Due	Points
Class Home				—
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Access 365/2019 - Level 4 Black Belt - Credential Exam		7/12/2023	7/19/2023	60

Cancel

- Click **[Confirm changes]** in the top right area above the table.

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NOTE: Unchecking any previously checked items will remove them from your current D2L Deployment.

- Select **[Deploy to Desire2Learn]** if the confirmation page shows the proper changes to D2L Content.

Add Activity

McGraw Hill SIMnet
SIMstudent
Help
Full SIMnet

← Confirmation

The list below shows all the changes you made to your integration configuration.

+ To Be Linked

Assignment Title	Start Date	Due Date	Points
Access 365/2019 - Level 4 Black Belt - Credential Exam	7/12/2023	7/19/2023	60

- To Be Unlinked

No assignments to unlink

= Unchanged

Cancel

6. This will automatically add the selected assignment to your D2L content module.

Course Management
Content
Grades
Course Activities
Collaboration
VTAC Support

Search Topics

Overview
Bookmarks
Course Schedule
Table of Contents
McGraw-Hill SIMnet
Add a module...

McGraw-Hill SIMnet

Add dates and restrictions...
Add a description...

New
Add Existing Activities
Bulk Edit

Access 365/2019 - Level 4 Black Belt - Credential Exam

Third-party Integration
Due July 19 at 11:59 PM
Starts Jul 12, 2023 12:00 AM

Add a sub-module...

7. This will also automatically add the **Grade Item** to your D2L gradebook.

Course Management
Content
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VTAC Support

Enter Grades
Manage Grades
Schemes
Setup Wizard

Import
Export
Switch to Spreadsheet View
More Actions

Search For...
Show Search Options

Email

	Last Name ▲, First Name	Final Grades	Access 365/2019 - Level 4 Black Belt - Credential Exam ▼
		Final Calculated Grade ▼	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Test, Student ▼	- / -, -% <i>95</i>	- / 60, -%

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NOTE: When a student completes a SIMnet assignment a D2L grade is automatically synced to the corresponding D2L grade item. The student’s grade is immediately linked from SIMnet to D2L.

Students without a completed attempt on a SIMnet assignment will automatically sync a grade of zero to the D2L gradebook at the SIMnet assignment Due Date.

Additional Support for McGraw-Hill SIMnet

- Instructor Instant Help** (https://mhedu.force.com/CXG/s/article/SIMnet-Instructor-Instant-Help?dc=Instructor_Resources)
- SIMnet Instructor Support** (<https://www.mheducation.com/highered/support/simnet.html>)